

Docket No.: 059516-0052

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Customer Number: 20277

Zi-kui LIU, et al.

Confirmation Number: 1022

PATENT

Application No.: 10/784,899

Group Art Unit: 1762

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For: BORIDE THIN FILMS ON SILICON

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated September 2, 2005, now due to expire December 2, 2005, be extended for two month(s) and set to expire on February 2, 2006. The first month's extension of time fee was paid on December 30, 2005. Therefore, only the second month's extension fee is currently due.

Please charge the second month's extension fee of \$165.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

Respectfully submitted,

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